

KENDALL IS FINED, SUSPENDED BECAUSE OF AN AUTO ACCIDENT

A fine of \$1 and costs, suspension from the police department for 15 days, and a 30 day stretch of night duty are the penalties imposed upon Clesie Kendall, patrol driver on the Richmond police force, for an accident in which he figured while driving a touring car at a high rate of speed, Monday afternoon.

The fine imposed upon Kendall was the same as that which any violator of the speeding laws receives. Kendall did not appear at the regular police court session, Tuesday morning having entered a plea of guilty and paid his fine earlier in the morning.

"We would have imposed a heavier sentence on Kendall, in police court were it not for the fact that he was to suffer punishment as a city employee, as well, said Mayor Handley.

"I would have fined myself under similar circumstances."

Kendall's suspension from the police force came after a special meeting of the board of police commissioners, called late Monday, had debated his case.

Going 35 Miles Per Hour
The charge against Kendall grew out of an accident which occurred late Monday afternoon. Kendall was driving a large machine owned by Charles F. Sheets, 111 North Ninth street. In the car were Mrs. F. W. Krueger and Mrs. Ray Longnecker. The party was returning from the funeral services of Howard Hawekotte, and Kendall says he was making 35 miles an hour at the time of the accident.

As the machine reached the Fifteenth and Main street crossing, another car came out from a side street. Kendall was unable to turn the machine straight after dodging this car, and his car crashed into a cement wall, smashing a left wheel.

FARM LABOR SUPPLY AND DEMAND REACH NORMALCY, REPORT

Normalcy, or a condition near it, apparently has been reached in farm labor supply and demand, according to recent inquiry. Few farmers are complaining of lack of labor, or of too high wages demanded, while on the other hand, few of the good farm hands are without employment.

This condition is reflected in the employment bureau activities of the county agent's office, which placed a number of men last year. This year, while the same privileges were offered both farmers and farm hands, only a few applications have been received from either. Only one application is on file now, in fact, from a farmer in the western part of the county who wants an unmarried man for farm work.

Wages are somewhat lower this year than last, reflecting the general drop in farm products, and are near, or slightly above, pre-war wages. Board and room which are included, however, in many cases make the wages equal to or better than wages of the city employee, who, while he gets paid on a higher scale, has in turn to pay out a good share for living expenses.

Mechanical Power
A noticeable development in the farm labor situation is the increasing substitution of mechanical power. Attention was especially directed to this condition by Prof. Schwab of Purdue, addressing the monthly district convention of county agents at Winchester last week. Statistics coming into the Purdue offices show a constantly increasing sale of tractors, he said, and authorities and economists are beginning to be alarmed over the shortage of horses that will develop in the next few years.

Due to greater use of tractors, farmers are raising fewer colts. The falling off in breeding operations already has brought so great a drop in the horse population that there are not sufficient colts now to replace the horses already in use, although it is thought a still larger number may be required in a few years.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT REPORTS ECONOMIES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 23.—Saving of \$336,416 by the interior department during the current fiscal year is set forth in a report presented today by Secretary Fall to President Harding. The report declares that employees of the department have been able to turn out more work through coordination, elimination of lost motion, and co-operation between bureaus. Officials of the department declared the record of results showed no need for substitution of an eight hour day for the present seven-hour day.

Current claims at the pension office of the department's bureaus, the report said, had been reduced since January from 100,000 to 90,000 and as the reduction is still going on it is added that it is hoped that the claims may be reduced below 50,000. The report asserts also that the cost of disposing of a claim for a pension has been reduced from \$17.60, the average for April, 1921, to \$11.50 for last April.

An important island in West Africa has the odd name of "Banana."

RADIO PROGRAM

Tuesday, May 23
RICHMOND WOZ—
Daily, except Sunday
12:00 p. m., grain and live stock market.
1:00-5:00 p. m., complete summary of grain, live stock and produce markets, musical program and weather reports.
6:30-7:00 p. m., topics of the day, after dinner stories, today's talk, baseball results and special musical program.
INDIANAPOLIS WLK—
11:00-11:30 a. m., daily musical program.
11:30 a. m., weather reports and weather forecast (485 meters).
12:00-12:30 p. m., musical program.
2:00-2:15 p. m., musical program.
3:00-3:15 p. m., musical program.
5:00 p. m., baseball results.
8:30 p. m., musical program.
10:00 p. m., time and weather reports (485 meters).
INDIANAPOLIS WOH—
10:00-11:00 a. m., daily musical program, market reports.
1:00-2:00 p. m., musical program and market reports.
4:00-5:00 p. m., baseball results, musical program.
CHICAGO (central daylight saving time)—
8:00 to 9:00 p. m., musical program.
9:00 p. m., news and sports.
SCHENECTADY (N. Y.) (eastern time)—
7:00 p. m., market quotations and weather reports.
7:30 p. m., talks on work and business.
PITTSBURGH (eastern time)—
9:00 p. m., weekly dress talk.
7:00 p. m., style talk.
7:15 p. m., returns of Harry Greb-Jim Tunney boxing bout.
8:00 p. m., instrumental and vocal selections.
9:00 p. m., news and sport (United Press).
9:25 p. m., Arlington time signals.
NEWARK (N. J.) (eastern daylight saving time)—
7:00 p. m., "Man in the Moon" stories.
7:30 p. m., health talk.
7:45 p. m., style talk.
8:00 to 10:15 p. m., literary evening.
10:52 p. m., Arlington time signals.
DETROIT (MICH.) (eastern time)—
7:30 p. m., musical program.

ESCAPE DEATH BY JUMPING FROM CAR

LYNN, Ind., May 23.—A motor car driven by Foreman Ludy was demolished when a Big Four train struck it, east of Glen Karn, Ohio, Monday. The occupants escaped by jumping.

Order Family to Leave After Fraud Discovered

The sick husband and three children, claimed by a "Mrs. Johnson," who was soliciting aid in this city recently, dwindled to two children and one healthy husband when authorities investigated her claims. The family was ordered to leave town.

"Mrs. Johnson" was selling soap in the city, presenting a note which requested aid from "cheerful givers."

A nurse from the Social Service bureau was sent to locate the woman, and she was taken to police headquarters. After some questioning, the nurse was directed to take the woman to 1109 South Eleventh street, where she said her home was located.

Unable to locate the address, the woman was brought to the Social Service bureau, where she finally admitted that she had only two children, and that her husband was waiting for her at Morton Lake, with an auto truck.

The family came from Greenville, O., and they were ordered to move on at once.

Judge Rules Property Belongs to Trust Fund

The diamond ring, diamond stud and gold watch belonging to the late Isaac Gorman, will be turned over to the Dickinson Trust company as part of a trust fund for his estate, instead of going to Irene Ryan, according to a ruling of the court Tuesday. The ruling was the final step in a suit to have the will construed. The suit was filed by the Dickinson Trust company as the executor of the will of Isaac Gorman, and named Irene Ryan, Joseph Gorman, David Gorman and Sarah Wilson as defendants.

The question at issue was whether the wording of the will meant that the jewelry should go to Irene Ryan or to the trust fund.

Police Court News

Lionel Mueller, about 17 years old, was assessed a fine of \$1 and cost in police court Tuesday morning. Mueller had been arrested while he was trying to jump a Pennsylvania train in the station, Monday morning. Mueller comes from Pittsburgh. He is a runaway boy.

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RADIO NEWS

Palladium Government Call is 9 ZAE—Fred Clark, Operator

Following on the statement by Chicago experimenters that elimination of static has been found possible, an other revolutionary development is shown in John Hays Hammond's announcement that it is possible, by his newest invention, to transmit a dozen or more messages on the same wave length. Reception is accomplished by special receivers, magnetically tuned to the transmitters. They are receiving, the Spark stations, even when near the Hammond receiver, do not cause interference, and all but the station desired can be tuned out, even though a number are sending on the same wave length.

This development makes possible commercial broadcasting, as the receivers may be leased on the same plan as land telephone instruments. Further details of the receivers are withheld until patents are granted. This development also provides the long desired secrecy in radio transmission, as none but the special receivers can hear the messages of their sending stations.

Simpler Receiving Set.
A simplified receiving set, which does not require an outside aerial, using instead several yards of wire arranged in a coil aerial on the back of the cabinet, has been built by a Chicago engineer, B. F. Meissner. This set is provided with a "super amplifier," said to be 50 times more powerful than an ordinary three stage, thus making the very weak signals heard with the coil, as audible as those heard with an ordinary set over an outside aerial. Only one adjustment is necessary to tune in to a transmitter. All batteries and equipment are self-contained, being housed in the cabinet.

Eaton Radio Club has suspended meetings for the summer, due to the increase of static, which makes reception difficult, and to activities other than wireless which will occupy the attention of members during the summer.

Walter Fishback has installed a transmitting set, with a radius that easily covers the city and some distance outside. He is operating it for the benefit of those amateurs whose receiving sets are not powerful enough to get the more distant stations, and is in communication with all the stations in the city. He is using the same circuit as the Hatfield station in Indianapolis, with his microphone in series with the ground.

A second class operator's license has been received by Charles Emrick, who took the examination some weeks ago at Dayton.

West Alexandria
Warren Copp of West Alexandria, Ohio, has completed a transmitting set.

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RARE ORIENTAL RUGS GIVEN TO MUSEUM

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 23.—Through a gift of 125 oriental rugs of rare beauty from James F. Ballard of St. Louis, the Metropolitan Museum of Art now has the most complete and valuable collection of such objects of art in the world.

Mr. Ballard was made a "benefactor" of the museum at a meeting of the board of trustees when the collection was accepted. Mr. Ballard, who has been his own collector, said the rugs represented 250,000 miles of travel. The commercial value of the gift is said to be \$440,550 but the actual value is much greater as it cannot be duplicated.

The rugs are from the 15th to the 16th centuries. The groups represented include: Persian, Spanish, Damascus, Kuba and Armenian, Chiades, Gergama, Koula, Ladik, Melex, Cashmere, Mudier, Chinese, Khilies and Anatolian.

Eaton Phone Company Has 1,093 Subscribers

EATON, Ohio, May 23.—One thousand and ninety-three numbers are listed in a directory just issued by the Eaton Telephone company. Five of the phones are listed in the company's name. Of the total of 1093 phones listed, 183 are designated as "farm" phones.

A year ago the company met with opposition when a rental advance was announced and later placed in effect. The opposition came for the most part from the rural district and the advance was protested by wholesale removal of phones by members of a rural organization that was formed to oppose the raise. Settlement of the controversy has never been reached, although repeated effort has been made to adjust the differences. Last year the company did not issue its annual directory.

O. A. Gale was recently elected president of the company. C. B. Coker is vice president; Elam Fisher treasurer; L. D. Lesh, secretary.

REDEEM TREASURY PAPER

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Secretary Mellon today authorized federal reserve banks to redeem in cash at par and accrued interest before June 15 treasury certificates of indebtedness of the series dated June 15, 1921, and Dec. 15, 1921, both maturing June 15, 1922.

A company in southern California supplying light and power to a number of cities, is making regular use of radio communication to keep in touch with its branches, scattered over a distance of 125 miles.

A proposal that the government issue a representative coin or a bill of small denomination, bearing a typical American soldier's head, has been made to the American Legion of Massachusetts. The coin in honor of the soldiers would be known as the "Doughboy dollar."

Circuit Court

SUES FOR \$91.30

Suit on account for \$91.30 has been filed in court by the George Worthing company against Elbert R. Huddleston.

HUNT ASKS DIVORCE

Charles C. Hunt has filed suit for divorce against Ethel K. Hunt.

SUIT IS DISMISSED

The suit of the McConaha company against Glen Bavender, to foreclose mechanics lien for \$51.90 was dismissed Tuesday.

Funeral of Mrs. Ziegler To Be Held Wednesday

DUBLIN, Ind., May 23.—Funeral services for Mrs. Barbara Ziegler, 75 years old, who died Monday at her home north of Dublin, will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in the Locust Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Ziegler is survived by her husband, Joseph Ziegler, two sons, the Rev. William Ziegler and John Ziegler, both of Cambridge City, and one daughter, Grace, of Dublin.

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